

BENNETT DEMANDS RECOUNT OF VOTES IN N. Y. ELECTION

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Following tabulation of primary returns, indicating the nomination of Mayor John Purroy Mitchell, as the Republican candidate for mayor, former State Senator William M. Bennett, said today he would demand a recount of the ballots.

Voting in yesterday's primary, according to returns with one election district in the Bronx, and one in Manhattan missing, gave Mayor Mitchell a lead of 1,119.

COLLIER CAESAR'S RED CROSS CARGO REACHES SALONIKI

The United States collier Caesar, with its precious cargo of \$500,000 worth of supplies, including food and clothing, has reached Saloniki. It was reported in a cablegram which reached American Red Cross headquarters today.

The Caesar's cargo will be used immediately to alleviate the suffering of nearly 500,000 starving and destitute Serbians and other exiled non-combatants.

BOARD OF TRADE MEN CONTRIBUTE TO 'SMOKE' FUND

More smokes for the boys "over there" were provided today when the Washington Board of Trade sent in contributions from some of its members to The Washington Times Tobacco Fund.

The merchants and business men who were thoughtful enough of the American soldiers soon to be in the trenches to leave with the secretary of the Board of Trade their initial contributions to the fund swelled the amount already received by \$68.25.

Leading Men Contribute.

Some of the leading members of the organization were among the contributors. Their patriotic action should set an example for other Washington business men to follow, and come forward with their "bit" to make the American soldiers in France happy.

The employees of the Haverner Baking Company chipped in amounts from 25 cents—enough to buy a pack of smokes—to \$1, and sent in the amounts this morning. So far this is the first time in the history of the fund that employees of a baking company have made a round-rob contribution to the Washington Times Tobacco fund.

Mr. "Unknown Godson." One woman who sent The Times a letter of congratulations for starting a tobacco fund to provide American soldiers with American smokes sent a dollar also, and said the soldier who receives the smokes from her donation would be her "unknown godson."

This suggestion prompts the question: How many Washington women are willing to adopt this idea and supply their "unknown godsons" in France with a little comfort before and after they step into the trenches to meet the foe?

Even though the recipient of your generosity may be unknown to you now, you may come to know him some time through this medium, and surely any boy who leaves the comforts of home to meet the country's enemies in a foreign land is worthy of any little liberality that may be shown by the folks "back home."

A return postal card is inclosed with every package of smokes, and the sender is certain to receive the thanks of the one who receives the benefit of his or her contribution.

Next Consignment Preparings. Preparations are under way now to get the second consignment of tobacco ready for dispatch to the boys overseas, and if you were not among the first who sent their gifts of cheer "over there" you should certainly be counted among the second.

Contributions received thus far to The Washington Times Tobacco Fund include:

Previously acknowledged	\$2,305.92
To "unknown godson" from	
Mrs. H. P.	1.00
Adria Hart50
Miss H. E. Robinson, 222	
Thirteenth St. N. W.	1.00
G. A. Rock, 2001 16th St.	1.00
Miss Beatrice Dearing25
Leon E. Albert	2.00
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Daniel Fraser	10.00
D. W. Burgess	1.00
Eugene G. Adams	1.00
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William M. Douglas	2.00
Albert F. Fox50
Willard Fracker50
John B. Lerner	1.00
George E. Hamilton	2.00
I. S. D. Sauls	5.00
Fred D. Potter50
R. K. Ferguson50
Total	2,377.92

NEGRO CONVICTED OF ASSAULT ON GIRL MUST DIE

FAIRFAX COURT HOUSE, Va., Sept.—William Burgess, the negro convicted yesterday of assault upon Miss Mary Davis, a fourteen-year-old girl, on August 26 last, on a lonely road near Clifton, Va., is today on his way to the State penitentiary at Richmond to await death in the electric chair on October 25, exactly two months to a day after the crime.

Burgess made no attempt at the trial to deny his guilt. He could give no explanation of why he attacked Miss Davis the day following an assault upon Mrs. Mildred Miller, of Fairfax. He said he was placed on trial for the crime against the latter woman, unless executive clemency spares his life.

Only a sheriff's guard accompanied Burgess to Richmond. The excitement in Clifton and here when Burgess was put on trial died down last night after the grand jury returned its verdict and Burgess was sentenced to die.

Burgess heard his fate with calm indifference, and he had been cool throughout the entire trial. He thanked the judge and jury when the ordeal of the trial was ended. The prisoner was represented by Attorney R. L. C. Mancure, and the prosecution was conducted by Commonwealth Attorney Vernon Ford.

THEATER LOBBY USED FOR RECRUITING OFFICE

With a three-inch field piece and a rapid fire navy trench rattlesnake gun frowning down on the passersby, a recruiting station has been opened in the lobby of the Casino Theater, F street near Seventh street northwest, and both the army and the navy expect to benefit greatly by it. Two soldiers are stationed there as representatives of the army. Two six-inch shells have been loaned by the commander at Fort Myer. The display of guns and shells is in connection with the film "What War Really Is," being shown at the Casino. John B. Torbert, of the United States Geological Survey, gave a "four-minute" talk there last night. Tomorrow night, John Burke, treasurer of the United States, will be the speaker.

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CAPT. SCHNEIDER TO APPEAL FROM BOARD'S FINDINGS

Appeal will be made to the Commission in the case of Capt. Henry Schneider, formerly in command of the Ninth police precinct, adjudged guilty by a police trial board of addressing Frank L. Ball, Commonwealth's attorney, and William Gloth, a police justice of Alexandria county, Va., in an endeavor to obtain a settlement out of court of the case of Edward Ellison, indicted by the Alexandria authorities on the charge of grand larceny. The sentence of the board is that Captain Schneider be dismissed from the force. Captain Schneider is allowed five days in which to enter an appeal, which will be made in writing.

Captain Schneider has been on the police force twenty-six years. He was appointed a private November 8, 1891, and on May 22, 1899, was promoted to sergeant. On July 1, 1905, he was promoted to lieutenant, and he was made a captain July 1, 1908.

Captain Schneider's trial was held Monday, and the verdict of the trial board was rendered yesterday afternoon. He is represented by Attorneys J. J. Lambert, Daniel W. Baker, and R. C. L. Moncre, the trial board was composed of P. H. Marshall, Assistant Corporation Counsel; Inspector R. B. Boyle, and Inspector H. L. Greenford.

ARGENTINOS GLAD SENATE VOTED FOR BREAK WITH KAISER

(By International News Service.)
BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 20.—The action of the Argentine Senate voting to break off diplomatic relations with Germany today met with an enthusiastic response throughout the entire republic.

The senators were praised by the press, and it was predicted on every side that the Chamber of Deputies would take similar action.

Ever since the Luxburg revelations, showing that unneutral messages were being sent from this city to Berlin through the Swedish legation, anti-German feeling has been growing.

Just now the country is in the throes of a railway strike, but it is believed that the Government would take drastic efforts to re-establish normal transportation facilities should Argentina decide to cast her lot with the allies.

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 20.—Folke Cronholm, ex-charge of the Swedish legation, emerged from hiding today for the first time since the United States barred the famous Von Eckhardt letter, to deny indignantly that he had aided Germany as Von Eckhardt said he had in his dispatch recommending a decoration for the Swedish diplomat.

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